

BULL MONTANA AND ROMONOFF TO GRAPPLE



Bull Montana and Romonoff will wrestle at the Fiesta athletic show Saturday night. The picture shows the pair in a match.

WILL ABANDON PALOS VERDES WILDCAT WELL

Keck Syndicate's Tests Show Futility of Deeper Drilling, Report Says

That the Keck Syndicate wildcat on the Palos Verdes estates will be abandoned shortly is the field report that comes from an unimpeachable source. The drillers recently conducted several final tests, which were said to convince the syndicate managers that it would be useless to drill deeper.

North and South Test Wells Down Deep; No Showings

Operators continue to watch the two wildcat wells at the northern and southern extremities of the Torrance-Lomita field. On Western avenue, north of the Torrance city limits, the Chansior-Canfield Midway Oil Company has drilled Francis No. 1 to 4850 feet and is still drilling ahead. Authentic field reports say that no important showings have been encountered. On West Weston street in Lomita Weston No. 1, the Standard Oil Company's test, is being drilled ahead below 4235 feet. This well is being cored at intervals, but showings have been inconsequential. It is authoritatively stated.

OUCH!
A fisherman who had been angling all morning, saw a man coming his way whom he took to be the owner of the property he was fishing on.
"Are these private waters?" he said.
"No," was the answer.
"Then it won't be a crime if I land a fish?"
"No," said the other. "It would be a miracle!"

Torrance Students At Summer Session Of U. of So. Calif.

Miss Hester Black and Miss Gladys Black, of Torrance, are attending the six weeks' summer vacation session of the University of Southern California. The enrollment at this year's session is 2200, the largest in the history of the university, and well known instructors from all parts of the country are visiting the university and creating considerable interest. The two Torrance students are both studying courses in economics and commerce, dealing with international law, corporation finance, and industry and human welfare.

R. J. BAZAAR

The Royal Neighbors of America are planning the "best yet party," a get-together festival to be held the evening of July 31 at the Legion hall. There will be entertainment of all kinds, music, games, cards and dancing. The main feature will be the bazaar of all kinds of fancy work, aprons, etc., curiosity tents, home-made candy, cake, salads, coffee and pie.
No admission, but come prepared to buy and eat.
Everyone welcome. Tell your friends about the "Royal festival."

VERY SIMPLE

A rich and listless lady patron examined the handbags in a leading jeweler's shop in New York city. The clerk exhibited one bag five inches square, made of platinum, and with one side almost covered with a setting of diamonds. "This was offered at a price of \$9000."
But the lady surveyed the expensive bauble without enthusiasm. She turned it from side to side and over and over, regarding it with a critical eye and frowning disapprovingly. At last she voiced her comment:
"Fancier pretty, but I don't like this side without diamonds. Honestly, the thing looks skimpy—decidedly skimpy!"
For \$7000 additional the objectionable skiminess was corrected.

Sentinel's No. 10 Important Well in Southeast District

Interest among oil field operators is centered this week on the Sentinel Oil Company's Joughlin No. 10, south of the Pacific Electric tracks on the Joughlin lease. The hole has been drilled to 3329 feet and the crew is running tubing. The class of producer which Sentinel brings in at this location will decide in a great measure how far south the productive formation extends in the eastern part of the field. The most southerly producers on the Sentinel and Superior Oil Companies' Joughlin have made the most oil, and it has been of the highest gravity in the district. If No. 10 is even better than the more northerly wells considerable drilling is slated to take place south of the P. E. right of way.

DOUBLE CELEBRATION

Mrs. J. S. Tolson of Los Angeles and Mrs. George Woodward were pleasantly surprised on their birthdays, when each was asked to the other's party. The happy affair took place at the home of Mrs. H. M. Tolson of Arlington avenue. The following were present: Mesdames Joe Luck, George Wheaton, Harry Bale, P. G. Briney, Eugene Andem, Charles Ackley, W. H. Sharps, G. H. Theobald, C. Chase, George Woodside, George Woodward, and Miss Wheeler; also the hostesses, Belle Grace and Phoebe Tolson. After an enjoyable afternoon, refreshments were served and then the honorees were showered with handkerchiefs.

Our Want Ads. Bring Results

TORRANCE NEWSLETS

Rev. and Mrs. Richey of Walnut Park were guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Owens of Martina avenue.

A trip to the Pacific Palisades was enjoyed Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. R. B. MacAlpine of Gramercy avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mueller and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stanger have returned from an enjoyable trip to Vancouver, B. C.

Dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crowell were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bale and son Homer, of Carson street.

J. H. Modesttt, local postman, has moved from Mowrey Court to the Hammerton Tract.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Milburn and daughter Doris, of Andross avenue, were guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Province and Mr. and Mrs. Dupre Clegg, of Santa Ana. The Provincences and Cleggs, formerly residents of Torrance, have recently built beautiful homes in Santa Ana.

Miss Marjory Donaldson of Los Angeles was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Breedlove of Arlington avenue.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. McAroy of Andross avenue were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wolfe of Cota avenue.

Mrs. Frank Sands and little daughter Helen, of Riverdale, Calif., are guests at the Central Evangelical parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Severns of Anapola avenue were Huntington Beach visitors Monday.

Mrs. R. G. Tompkins of Gramercy avenue is recovering from a nervous affection of the ear.

Guests Sunday at the William Creighton home on Carson street were Mrs. Creighton's sisters, Mrs. E. Douglas, and Mrs. J. P. Finney of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mason of Keystone were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Mason of Park Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Campbell of Park Terrace spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Algeo of Long Beach.

Mrs. Walter Berry of Marcelina avenue, seriously ill for some time, is reported to be improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Tompkins of Gramercy avenue have heard the "call of the wild," so they're off to Big Bear Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ormond have moved from Western avenue to South Gramercy avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grant of Arlington avenue and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosgrove are home again after a pleasant vacation at Pismo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of Cota avenue left Wednesday for a week at Lake Arrowhead. Friend from San Bernardino will accompany them.

A baby boy was born July 10 to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stranahan, 625 Jackson street, Whittier. He has been named Robert Emmett, and weighed 9 1/2 pounds.

C. R. Hastie and son and daughter, of Mt. View, Calif., are guests for two weeks of Mr. Hastie's mother, Mrs. Zada Hastie, and sister, Mrs. F. L. Parks, of Marcelina avenue.

Mrs. George L. Hotchkiss and daughters, Dorothy and Bernice, of New Haven, Conn., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Hotchkiss of Sartori avenue.

VISTA HIGHLANDS

Mrs. T. J. Wilkes is anticipating with much pleasure the arrival in a few days of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Bigley of Youngstown, O., who will spend two months here.

Frank Jennings of Carson street, lease superintendent of the Pan-American company, has returned from a two weeks' stay at Murietta Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stock and family were week-end visitors at Catalina.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frazier and daughter Lillian were guests of Long Beach friends Sunday.

Accompanied by George Wheaton and John and Bill Humman, T. J. Wilkes enjoyed a week-end hunt at Del Sur.

Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Harris of Sonoma street, is recovering from a minor throat operation.

Leaving St. Louis, Mo., July 26, George Holthaus and son will motor through and join Mrs. Holthaus and son and daughter, who have been here several weeks.

A number of Vista Highlanders enjoyed the Pacific Electric outing at Catalina Sunday.

COLOR

Gay Stripes on Grey Make This Frock Attractive



By MME. LISBERT

It is said that there is a psychology of color; that it, like music, speaks a universal language. Blue is said to typify piety, sincerity; it is the symbol of constancy. It is a tender and sedate color, even when most brilliant. Red signifies love, power and dignity. Grey is sober and quiet, suggesting neatness, delicacy and refinement. Bright yellow is joyous and uplifting. Green is cool, hopeful and inspiring, the emblem of youth and happiness. Purple stands for dignity and stateliness. Favorite colors for wearing apparel (according to test) are blue and black, with red high in favor.

In view of all this, just what frock illustrates which is of grey Poiret twill. Grey, you remember, denotes quietness and refinement. But this grey is combined with gay Roman stripes, so we may gather that the wearer has a vivid and colorful streak in her disposition that supplements the sedateness shown by her choice of grey for a foundation color.

This is a cape dress model and the Roman stripes trim both cape and frock. The new shorter skirt is also illustrated.

The sleeveless and semi-sleeveless frocks have brought about the return to favor of the bracelet, and the link bracelet seems just now to be the favorite, and the larger the links the more stylish they are. The very newest chains are composed of three huge links only, which fit tightly over the wrist. These come in white and yellow gold, jade, coral, carnelian and onyx.

The Voice Of the People

(Contributions to this column are welcome, subject to the following conditions and rules: Letters should be plainly written on one side of the paper. The Editor reserves the usual right of editing. Letters on matters of religious controversy, personal attacks, or containing libelous material, will not be published. Letters in this department do not necessarily reflect the opinion of this paper. Short contributions are better than long ones. Keep contributions within 400 words.—Editor.)

I have weathered several fires in the oil field of Lomita and have watched our volunteer fire fighters work; and, having seen the way the boys have been hampered by lack of water, I think oil companies or the county should make some provision for a supply of water on Narbonne avenue.

I will say that both the Lomita and Torrance boys have done some very fine work in fighting these fires, but I don't understand why the city of Torrance should have the expense of fires in the Lomita district. I think this should be paid by the county, and Chief Hannebrink should be allowed a bonus for fighting this class of fire.

Being interested in the welfare of taxpayers and the community in general, I thought I would call this to your attention, as I don't think taxpayers should be burdened with the expense of cars, fire department, or police department. The city should place this money when received in the city treasury. The county should pay a mileage on this kind of work and allow the men a bonus accordingly for this class of fire.

Respectfully,
J. J. DUFFY.

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